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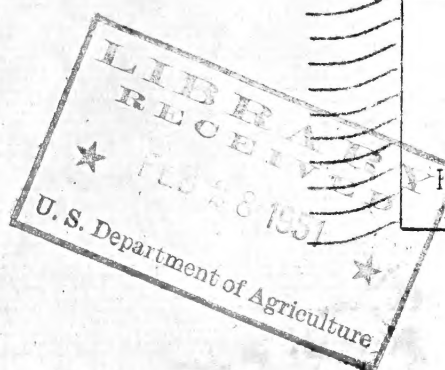
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DAHLIAS
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4 GIANTS

DAHLIA COLLECTION

MRS. GEO. LeBOUTILLIER 12" red.
D'ARCY SAINSBURY 10" white
MAYOR OTIS 14" bronze & copper
PINK GIANT 10" tyrean pink.

4 tubers, value \$3.35 \$ 2.75

HEMEROCALLIS-NOVELTY COLLECTION

HYPERION popular large yellow	.75
TEJAS Intense fiery red	1.00
SYLVIA Rosy pink, yellow sepals	1.00
FULVA ROSEA lovely rose-pink	3.00
LINDA Ruffled gold, red edge	1.50
CLEO Pastel pink	2.00

6 plants, value \$9.25 for \$7.50
(or may be ordered separately at prices shown)

NEW-NAME GLAD COLLECTION

	Each	3 bulbs
ABU HASSAN Rich violet-blue. New and outstanding.	.15	.40
ATHLONE Pinkish buff-cream. A florists favorite.	.15	.40
BENISON Large white with faint touch of orchid.	.15	.40
DIEPPE Distinctive deep salmon. Straight spikes.	.15	.40
LANCASTER Glistening ruffled dark purple.	.15	.40
PANDORA Rose-pink, lower petals feathered red.	.15	.40
SPIC & SPAN Tall ruffled deep pink. Most popular	.25	.70
STRAWBERRY PEACH Very large orange-pink, scarlet throat.	.55	1.50
SUNSPOT Light apricot buff, rose-red throat blotch.	.40	1.10

1 bulb of each: 9 bulbs, labelled \$1.75 - 3 of each: 27 bulbs, labelled \$4.50

NEED A LIFT ?

Flowers, along with music and painting and many of the other fine things in life, are one of the best media for relaxation and restoration. The raising of flowers serves a two-fold purpose: The joy of working in the soil around your own yard with visions of the pretty things to come; and the harvest time when beauty blooms outdoors in abundance and is brought indoors for homey vases and smartly styled floral arrangements. That's why we grow flowers - and specialize in bulb flowers. We enjoy them - the anticipation at planting time, and the fulfilment at harvest time.

Wilshire Gardens is doing two things now - raising good flowers, and raising good food. Answering the government's request, we are using our facilities and equipment to produce food as well as bulbs. That's the reason for sending you this list rather than our usual full-color illustrated catalog. The savings in printing costs are already being used to prepare more land and augment equipment in readiness for Spring.

As always, Wilshire Gardens guarantees satisfaction, knowing that the shipment we send you is as near-perfect as can be grown - anywhere. It has to be. The Washington State Department of Agriculture feels like we do - that there is no finer bulb growing area in the world, and we are constantly working to spread that reputation..

Frank Staats Wilson
Charles N. Wilson

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS



Top-size tubers (2 in. up), Pacific coast grown by the world's leading hybridizers (LIFE Magazine, September 18, 1950). Lush, tropical-appearing plants easily grown in moist shaded spots. Complete growing instructions included free with each order. All tubers on these two pages except novelties and named varieties (as shown) priced at:

EACH 45¢, DOZEN \$4.50 PREPAID

DOUBLE CAMELLIA TYPE The most popular of all, producing blooms up to 8 inches across resembling huge camellias in; white, pink, rose, yellow, apricot, dark salmon, dark red, cardinal red, orange, crimson rose, American Beauty, flame. Correctly labelled.

TUBEROUS

BEGONIAS

CARNATION TYPE (FIMBRIATA) Fully fringed and frilled blooms resembling a huge carnation. Your choice of the following colors properly labelled: white, rose, pink, yellow, apricot, dark red, cardinal red, orange.

PICOTEE TYPE Blooms like a double camellia or rose-bud types in two-tone colors; the centers light and the picotee edges in the following shades; salmon, rose, red. Labelled.

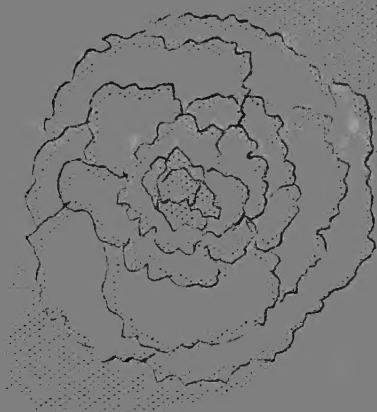
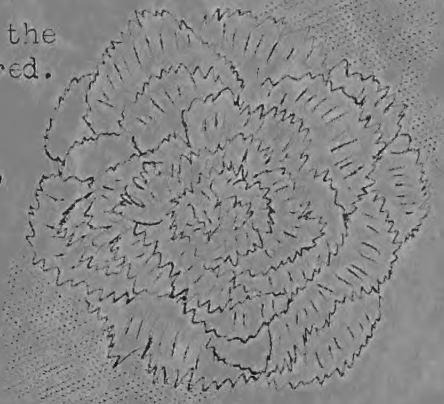
CRISPA-SINGLE FRILLED Profusely frilled and ruffled, in the following colors: white, rose, pink, salmon, yellow and red. Labelled.

CRISTATA-CRISPED Beautiful show-type plants with large, strongly crested blooms. Available in mixed colors only.

BASKET TYPE For hanging baskets and porch boxes. Many blooms on trailing stems; in white, pink, salmon, yellow, orange, and scarlet. Individually labelled.

MARGINATA Two-toned frilled in white with pink edges or salmon with copper edges. Mixed only.

MARMORATA - Double camellia type nicely mottled white on brick red.



ROSEBUD - Well named as to form; in clear pastels with the backs of the petals in a corresponding deep shade.

FANCY NAMED TUBEROUS BEGONIA

Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.75, dozen \$10.00

AUTUMN GLOW Huge Cristata type in apricot with crests of deep copper. Flowers measure up to 10" across.

SUNSET Profusely frilled crispa type, light copper, scarlet edge.

STARS & STRIPES A prolific plant carrying a profusion of brick-red flowers daintily speckled white.

RED TRIUMPH Exceptionally large, beautifully ruffled double camellia type with velvety ruby-red petals.

FASCINATION White crispa type with Picotee edge in pink.

ROSE DAWN Large double ruffled blooms in bright rose-pink, like a beautiful full blown rose.

ROSE FORM NOVELTIES 1950

Tubers from 1950 seedlings individually staked during 1950 blooming season.


Very choice, in colors same as the camellia type on opposite page. Very limited so please name substitute color choice. \$1.50 each; \$15.00 dozen.

RUFFLED NOVELTIES 1950

Produced by interbreeding the best forms of Camellia and Fimbriata Planta types. Carefully chosen and marked during 1950 blooming season. In mixed colors or will send colors as close as possible to your choice. \$1.50 each; \$15.00 dozen.

GLADIOLUS

All bulbs are clean, healthy, top-size, and high-crowned; treated against thrip and guaranteed to produce gorgeous top size blooms this season. 6 bulbs at half the dozen price; 100 bulbs for the price of 7 dozen. Cultural bulletin enclosed free with every order.

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- ALGONQUIN Tall early scarlet. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.00
BIGDAD Attractive smoky old rose. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
BARBAROLLE Ruffled salmon-orange. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
BEACON Clear rose-red, cream throat. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
BLUE BEAUTY Best medium blue. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
BURMA Tall ruffled deep rose. 3 for 40¢, doz. \$1.20
CHAMCUNY Deep rose, silver picoté edge. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
CHIEF MULTNOMAH Large smoky red, light red blotch. 3 for 40¢, doz. \$1.20
COMMANDER KOEHL Massive deep rich red. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
CORONA Fastid cream shading deeper in throat, edged rose. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.00
ELIZABETH, THE QUEEN Ruffled clear mauve, darker throat markings. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
ETHEL CAVE COLE Large light pink, 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢
GLIMLISENHOWER 5 ft. spikes of deep begonia rose. 6 in. florets. 3 for 50¢, doz. \$1.50
GLAMIS Beautiful pink, pointed petals. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
GOLDEN CHIMES Large clear light yellow. 3 for 25¢, doz. 90¢
GREENLIGHT Ruffled cream, overlaid green. 3 for 25¢, doz. 90¢
HOLUS POKUS Unusual golden yellow, red throat. 3 for 50¢, doz. \$1.50
HOLLAND'S GLORY Salmon-pink, yellow throat. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
JUNE BELLS Exceptional early ruffled white. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
KING LEER Early ruffled velvety purple. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
MARGARET BEATON Large white; cherry-red throat. 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢
MYRA Attractive ivory white, heavily ruffled. 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢
PICARDY Most popular apricot-pink. Parent of many recent prize winning introductions. 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢.
PURPLE SUPREME Bright purple, vigorous plants. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
RINGDIA Very early salmon-red. 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢
ROYAL Violet-blue with reddish-brown throat. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.10
RED CHARM Crimson-red, best in its class. 3 for 25¢, doz. 90¢
ROSY DON LINA Delicate rose-pink, lighter throat. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
SOGA PRINCESS Milky white shading to light cream throat. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
SUNLIGHT Large yellow blooms, fiery red blotch. 3 for 40¢, doz. \$1.20
TIGRA Giant light purple from Australia. 3 for 25¢, doz. 80¢
WILLIAMS GOLD Massive rich cream, gold throat, 5 ft. spikes. 3 for 25¢, doz. 85¢
YELLOW HERALD Early tall amber-yellow, ruffled. 3 for 30¢, doz. \$1.00

MIXTD A color-balanced, hand-made mix selected from excellent named varieties to create good color balance.

Top Size	15 for \$1.00, 100 for \$6.00
Second Size.	18 for \$1.00, 100 for \$5.00

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Ship to _____
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If out of a variety ordered we will substitute the nearest similar variety of equal or greater value unless notified otherwise.

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DAHLIAS

Prime field-grown tubers of carefully tested and selected varieties. Individually labelled and carefully packed to arrive fresh and plump. Since dahlias require a separate shipment, please order not less than \$1.00 worth at a time.

MINIATURES

	Each
Fairy-Pink	.50
Mah Baby - Maroon	.50
Market Queen - Red & White	.50
Wine Drop - Bright Wine-red	.40
White Fawn - White	.50
Corinna - Lemon yellow	.50
Baby Royal - Salmon	.40
COLLECTION OF ALL 7 for	\$3.00

PASTEL POMPONS

Betty Ann - Pink	.40
Joe Fette - White	.40
Yellow Gem - Yellow	.40
Jessica - yellow edged red	.40
Little David - Soft Orange	.40
Morning Mist - Orchid	.40
COLLECTION OF ALL 6 for	\$2.00

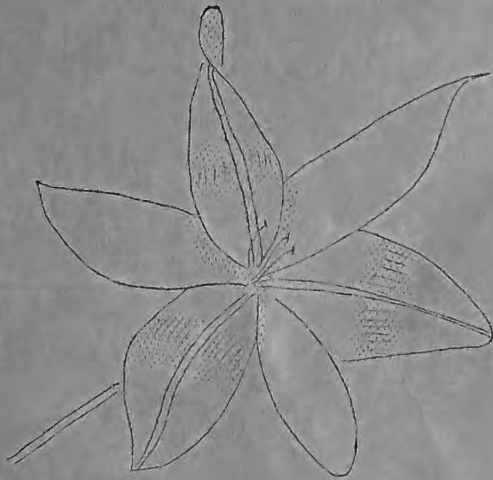
AUTUMN BOUQUET POMPONS

Indian Chief - Wine-red tipped white	.40
Vivid - Bright Scarlet	.40
Brunette - Dark red	.40
Mary Munns - Deep orchid	.40
Sherry - Deep red-purple	.40
Amber Queen - Rosy Amber	.40
COLLECTION OF ALL 6 for	\$2.00

LARGE FLOWERED DAHLIAS

	Each
AUTUMN SUNSET - Yellow blending to red. Large informal	.60
BLUE RIVER - Large silvery lavender. Very popular.	.60
CLARA CARDER - Shaggy vivid pink on low bushes.	.70
D'ARCY SAINSBURY - Large perfect, pure white decorative.	.65
GREY DAWN - 8 inch white shaded lavender to appear grey.	.75
MRS. GEO. LeBOUTILLIER - Giant rich carmine up to 12"	.75
PINK GIANT - Lovely huge tyrian pink. Lush and shaggy.	.90
SHERWOOD PEACH - Plants well shaped and vigorous.	
12" blooms. A lovely blend of apricot and orange	1.00
TOWN TOPIC - Large striking Bi-color. Deep purple tipped white	.80

Note: Collection of 4 GIANTS on cover.



HEMEROCALLIS

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DAYLILIES

Hardy, disease-free plants growing anywhere with a minimum of care. Hybridists have brought Hemerocallis to a high degree of perfection in the last few years. You may take a 10% discount for 3 plants of any one variety; or a dozen large plants for the price of 10.

	Each
ANNA BETSCHER Large, rich orange-yellow; shaded reddish-brown.	.50
ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL Huge blooms of solid canary yellow.	3.00
BAY STATE Large deep glistening yellow. Very popular.	.50
BIJOU Orange blooms overcast with fulvous red.	1.00
BLACK FALCON Dark open flowers with pale yellow cup. Unusual.	6.00
BOUTONNIERE Brilliant light orange suffused with rosy peach.	.50
BUCKEYE Clear orange, mahogany-red eye. Open evenings.	1.50
CHENG TU Coppery orange-red with velvety red mid-zone.	1.00
CINNABAR Rosy brown-red, yellow throat. Increases rapidly.	.60
CRESSIDA Rich golden star shaped flowers of immense size.	.35
DAWN Large fulvous rose with sulphur-yellow base.	.60
FLORHAM Large blossoms of deep gold. About three feet tall.	.40
FULVOLO Dark fulvous. A newer variety blooming very late.	1.50
GAIETY Large wide open flowers of pale lemon-yellow.	1.50
GAY TROUBADOR Large flaring bi-color. Bright red petals, yellow midstripe. Maize-yellow sepals suffused red. New and choice.	5.00
GOLD DUST Golden yellow. Semi-dwarf. Early.	.35
HEATHER ROSE A rose-pink daylily of great beauty. Midsummer.	5.00
HYPERION Large waxy flowers. Pale yellow. Very popular.	.75
J. A. CRAWFORD Lovely apricot yellow. Increases rapidly.	.35
J. T. RUSSELL Large two-tone. Canary yellow marked with cinnamon.	.75
KANAPAHA Clear cardinal red. One of the finest of the red shades.	6.00
MRS. SEITH New large deep gold. Blooms very late.	2.50
OLD IVORY Delicate cream shade. Blossoms slightly whorled.	1.00
PATRICIA Broad, pale yellow; chrome-greenish throat.	1.50
PINK LUSTRE Very large pale cream yellow, overlaid rose shades.	5.00
ROYAL RUBY Near crimson-red. Smooth broad petals.	10.00
SIR MICHAEL FOSTER Large ruffled apricot. Long blooming.	.50
SU-LIN Beautiful bicolor, pale mauve and cream yellow.	8.00
TEJAS Intense fiery red. Yellow throat.	1.00
THERON Unusual wine-color. Medium yellow cup. Recurved.	2.00
THUNBERGII Light yellow, medium height, fragrant.	.30
VULCAN Light velvety maroon, faint golden brown midrib, and orange throat. Blooms in July. 4½ feet tall.	3.00
WAU-BUN Light yellow sprinkled fulvous red, broad curled petals.	.65

*The above is only a partial list of the daylilies we grow. We will gladly answer requests for other varieties; or for special colors, heights, or blooming seasons.

"STARTER COLLECTION" OF DAYLILIES

Varieties may be ordered
separately.

	Each
<u>BAGDAD</u> Copper-red.	.75
<u>GOLDEN DREAM</u> Frosty gold.	.50
<u>MINI-PORFFII</u> Early dwarf rich orange.	.30
<u>OVER</u> Large deep yellow.	.45
<u>GOLDENI</u> Midsummer deep yellow.	.35
<u>THUNBERGLI</u> Light lemon yellow.	.30
<u>THE GLM</u> August-blooming yellow.	.30

7 plants, value \$2.95, for \$2.50 ppd.

RED LEMON AND GOLD

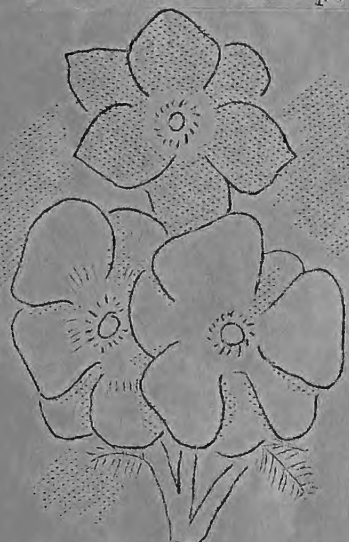
Collection of Daylilies

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<u>APRICOT</u> Early yellow shaded brown	.40
<u>GOLDENI</u> Profuse deep orange.	.40
<u>MRS. WYMAN</u> Late glistening yellow	.35
<u>LEMONA</u> Pale lemon yellow.	.35
<u>RAJAH</u> Orange-red-brown polychrome	.75
<u>AUREOLE</u> Long blooming orange-yellow	.35
<u>GITSY</u> Bright orange, fulvous ring	.35
<u>HYPERION</u> Large waxy pale yellow	.75

8 plants, value \$3.70 for \$3.00 ppd.

This collection plus one large plant of "Fulva Rosea", a \$6.75 value - all 9 plants for \$5.50 post paid.



RANUNCULUS Full double blooms in many shades suitable for outdoors or start in pots. Cover only two inches and keep moist. In varying shades of RED, YELLOW, PINK, WHITE, AND MIXED. Large tubers.

Per dozen 75¢, per 100 \$5.75

ANEMONES Large single poppy-like flowers in gay colors. Culture similar to Ranunculus.

MONARCH DE CAEN - mixed colors

HIS EXCELLENCY - Red

BLUE POPPY - Blue

THE BRIDE - white

ST. BRIGID - a double form in mixed colors.

lg. bulbs per doz. 85¢, per 100, \$6.00

TRITOMA COLLECTION - 3 "RED HOT POKERS"

ALCAZAR - soft rose-red

GOLDMINE - soft amber tinted yellow

PFITZERI - rich orange-scarlet

) Collection of one of each,
) 3 for \$1.50 ppd.

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